

A partial suppression of the  
menses, ~~which~~ is sometimes the cause  
of Plethora give first an emetic  
effluvia  
And then a laxative then to  
strengthen by bark, if not better  
if gentian &c gently some  
gentle laxative, to be continued  
some months and occasionally  
change the Medicine And every  
10 or 3 weeks an emetic pur-  
ge very necessary, Matrimony  
face flushed pain loins and back  
the first to be done is bleeding  
as near the time she ought to  
menstruate, Warm bath & em-  
menagogue applied to daily, Seneca  
ea 3 or 4 of oil decoction in  
a q. black hellebore, Menor-  
rhagia, occurs in two cases and  
two causes, One too much eating  
animal, and no exercise, take  
place in a relaxed system  
treatment plethora leysed and let  
exercise a little effluvia and then  
some astringent, decoction of Coffee  
1 dr tillingia 12 dr. water

Dissemorha sometime given  
relieve sometime ~~amplon~~  
the best is warm bath or pedicels  
warm sine sometime of its own  
accord or when the menses is  
about to depart bleed occasionally  
give starchy, little animal food  
Use an organ of generation if  
the labia are sometimes elongated  
beyond the pubis

of the Nymphae which have been as  
long as a child's head if it should  
be too large it will be necessary to  
prune it then - sometime it is  
closed at birth, if inconvenient at  
menstruation, it is best <sup>to</sup> open by the  
finger or probe - of Clitication

Of Inflammation of cold or difficult  
labour, intense redness and pain of  
cervix - Dispose by usual means with  
leeches in one spot - poultices

Caritative Medicine and vegetable  
food and with a state of health  
most particularly attended to

It very rarely happens that the peri-  
tæneum is lacerated but some

time or just touched or head pass  
as though to speedily —

If the probe pass in a straight line  
into the bladder, <sup>a female</sup> but if there be any  
interruption it may be considered  
to be a Male  
Of the Clitoris

If the Hymen appears to be operated  
upon, it ought to be cut several times  
and lint so placed between the  
excised parts to prevent a union  
~~from the~~ Plunk  
ri walls or —

Of the Vagina, Diseases such as, etc.  
The vagina is a canal + the inner  
surface is the inner of the  
organs have been mentioned  
as being the same as the  
vagina is the same as the  
vagina is the same as the

Vagina is said to be the same as the  
vagina is the same as the  
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Uterus and vagina are both subject  
to Leucorrhoea or ~~to~~ flour albus is  
the most frequent disease of which  
the female is subject those who have  
had a frequent miscarriage are most  
subject to it with irregular men-  
struation, and in children it proceeds  
from the uterus, the most common  
place of its rise is the internal mem-  
brane of the vagina - It is sometimes  
difficult to distinguish it from Gonorr-  
rhoea but this is known by its pain at  
passing - Treatment

Lozenges stimulating - with  
as weak digestion  
of 1 dr Camph in a pint of White Oak  
bark - Emetics once or twice a week  
have been recommended, and after  
while a laxative is used

Recd <sup>from</sup> 2 of Ashes & 2 of  
It is taken until the  
is cured - Cauterization with fine pow-  
der has been used in the form  
of a Linctus - Lin & Cay 2 dr  
with 6 oz water & table sugar



2 a day and increased in the  
morning in the 24 hours &c  
It sometimes goes on as is the case  
of a large uterus  
protruding, say that relax  
the ligaments as carrying  
lumen &c are said to induce  
the complaint, those subject to  
prolapsed uteri as subject to this  
disease - in prolapsed uteri we  
ought to endeavour to reduce it  
attend to the general system &c  
when it happens early in pregnancy  
is generally no danger

Inversion of the uterus from too great  
force in bringing down the pla-  
centa or the weight of a Puer-  
peral - the uterus sometimes inverted  
entirely after labour.

The uterus is subject to several  
cancerous changes and often con-  
founded with leucorrhoea on  
account of the discharge - but  
given quite a different preparation  
of Iron found to be very good  
The dried Uterine liquor with some  
infusion of ...

Order of the ... very seldom happens

the Hernia ... to endeavour to return  
the parts &c

The Corrosive Ulcers of the ...  
occurs about the time the ...  
... and great difference  
between the ... of the ...

(Conception &c ...)  
Structure of the Placenta which exists in ...  
... as well as in the human ...  
... of which the young one  
... from the Placenta

The placenta is a triangular ...  
to which the ... are ... later  
... is about ...

... which is about ...  
length ... the ... is ...

The Placenta ... the second  
... comes on ... it is ...  
... of ...

between the fetus and the ...  
The ... is of an ...  
2, weeks &c ... About the 6 weeks it  
is about an ...

The Cause of the first breathing is the  
Air ... the face and by the ...  
They ... and the ...  
led to action &c

of the Fetus which is from  
the Mother and part from the Umbili-  
cal Chord, the placenta receives from  
the Uterus which it communicates  
to the Fetus, no immediate or direct  
communication between the Mother and the  
Uterus, not the only place that the  
Fetus can be produced  
tube. But when it is formed  
in those situations it is Cal-  
led extra Uterine Pregnancy -

These Cases are often very  
trouble-some & And demand  
Care Much Care and attention  
from the physician as well as  
from the female and her  
attendants - (When portions  
of the <sup>placenta</sup> ~~uterus~~ have been left in  
the Uterus it generally produ-  
ces a small and continual  
hemorrhage this may be an

Is relieved by the applica-  
tion of cold to the abdomen  
and by the introduction of  
the hand into the cavity  
of the uterus and there to re-  
main untill contractions of  
the fibres of the uterus are the  
signs of pregnancy arising after a  
short time of cold is tried &c  
The Obstruction of the Menstrua  
Some women have some peculiar  
such as a cold feet - coughing or  
coughing of the face  
When the passing of the Intestines  
causes much pain the best is to  
keep away in little ways and  
giving all Anodyne - Laudanum  
hum in Flax Seed Tea &c  
Leaving about the fifteenth  
week and at this time sometimes  
new drops of blood comes from  
the uterus which is the time the  
fetus ascends from the pelvis into  
the cavity of the abdomen  
sometimes having given



Yellow Emetic the Rhubarb  
and Magnesia Combined sometimes  
Milla laxative will prevent the  
above as the Sulphate Magnesia  
do as follows Case No 13

Sp Cinnamon 14/3  
et Aqua infusa Ammonia 1/3  
Aqua pura 3V

Constipation very common about the  
3 Month and at the latter part of  
labour this must be prevented by  
the use of laxative taken Occasion-  
ally

The piles a troublesome attend-  
on pregnancy. Some recommend  
warm applications either on Cold

But no violence is to be used  
by means of pulling at the  
Chord or endeavouring to  
dislodge the retained portion  
of the Placenta as that would  
inevitably lead to a more  
difficult labour. except

live hemorrhage —

After pains, seldom occur  
so severe as at the first la-  
bours as it does at the subse-  
quent ones, — they are ow-  
ing to the irregular contrac-  
tion of the ~~uterine~~ fibres of the  
uterus. Consequently when  
they ~~do~~ occur hemorrhage  
is not so much to be feared.

Hemorrhage is owing to the  
want of a contractile pow-  
er in the fibres of the uterus,  
~~and~~ or ~~intentional~~ <sup>or</sup> to a  
contraction <sup>or</sup> laceration  
of the placenta —

# Duty of the Physician in a case of Obstetrics

So many circumstances usually occur, varying in many respects, that it is almost impossible to define the duty of a physician when called to <sup>office</sup> ~~charge~~ the ~~duty~~ of ~~obstetric~~ <sup>accouchement</sup>. We may, however lay down some general rules which if attended to, will be found of service to the young practitioner —

When a lady shall have signified her intention of having you as her attendant

It would be right to call  
upon, or ~~see~~ to see her oc-  
casionally, and prescribe,  
~~to take any~~ when necessa-  
ry, ~~but when any urgent symp-~~  
~~toms~~ with a view to relieve  
any urgent symptoms.

An idea is very common a-  
mong females, that during  
parturition they should be  
frequently bled, they may  
in this respect, be generally  
indulged, when no circum-  
stances shall contra indi-  
cate it, ~~and~~ but should  
always be ordered when  
ever it shall be deman-  
ded by any circumstance



Portiveness - likewise, a very  
summat a cure in the  
mucus, should be obliterated,  
particularly if it happens  
during the ~~the~~ eight or ninth  
months - this to be done by  
some mild laxatives as  
Magnesia - Rhubarb Super-  
Tart: of starch &c -

Parina - and morning sick-  
ness to be relieved by Magnesia  
laxatives of a mild  
nature, light diet and  
proper exercise in the open  
air - the morning sick-  
ness often benefited by tak-  
ing a cup of warm Coffee  
in bed; Females generally  
in this case crave for what  
is <sup>be</sup> well of service to them.

Such as Antacid, as  
Chalk, Magnesia &c -  
Sufficient, do not often prove  
very troublesome And if  
they do - they may be eased  
by taking some of the vegeta-  
ble acids as Lime juice -  
Tooth-Ache is frequently very  
troublesome to the patient, espe-  
cially female, And when it is  
worse, there is seldom any  
advantage & alleviation from  
any application - when the  
extraction of the affected  
tooth does not always prove  
a cure, for the pain or some  
other one or more of the teeth  
will often thus give as  
much uneasiness & trouble

as the one extracted had  
died - And the poor female,  
is doomed to bear the pain  
and anguish, of that, above  
all, divided torment and  
exasperated complaint, until  
relieved by delivery - -

The process of quickening is  
often proved ~~to~~ a time, cau-  
sing at least, great anxi-  
ety and uneasiness to the  
female with child for the  
first time, - bringing  
on some pain and nau-  
-sea -

It however is only the re-  
sult of nature and ~~is~~ very  
little can ever be effected  
by the physician, unless



it be to assure her that  
it is only what is always  
to be expected of persons  
in her situation, which  
~~from~~<sup>to</sup> an intelligent person  
will always prove a heal-  
ing balm to the troubled  
mind -

It will be proper here to  
mention, that this should  
always be full evidence  
to assure the female, that  
she is in the family way, -  
should there be any doubt  
entertained in regard to  
this matter, persons how-  
ever have been known to  
accuse themselves, as their  
friends and even their



physician in regard to this  
matter supposing it to have  
taken place, when in fact  
it was nothing more than  
loose,

The most prominent symp-  
toms of this really being  
the period of quickening  
are such as -

Its occurring at or about  
the 16<sup>th</sup> week of the sup-  
posed pregnancy -

- The enlargement of the  
abdomen rising higher to-  
wards the thorax -

The ~~eye~~ eye-lids surround-  
ed with a dark circle and  
more especially the inner ones

The Countenance becoming ~~sharp~~ numerous and  
of a pallor hue -

- The features ~~sharp~~ of  
the face sharp and  
prominent -

- The Pain, also ~~shows~~  
in the left shoulder blade  
is often common to  
person in this state.

- An interruption of  
the Catamenial discharge  
without ~~any~~ preceding  
any of the usual conse-  
quences of such an oc-  
currence - This not  
to be depended on

unless in conjunction with  
other symptoms. — as before  
mentioned —

An enlargement of the mam-  
ma — with tender-  
ness of the nipple and its  
being surrounded by  
an areola of a dark  
~~circle~~ color —

— frequently <sup>there is</sup> ~~an~~ intoler-  
able itching of the pectoral  
and the neighbouring  
parts — without any known  
cause —

Pains in the legs and par-  
ticularly in the thighs



attended with swelling  
of the feet and ankles, —

— a longing after acid ro-  
formely liked. And a  
peculiar desire for earthy  
substances as char. chalk

De — — All symptoms  
of this disease (if so called)  
And if occurring at the same  
time may generally be re-  
lied on as sufficient  
to warrant a prognosti-  
cation

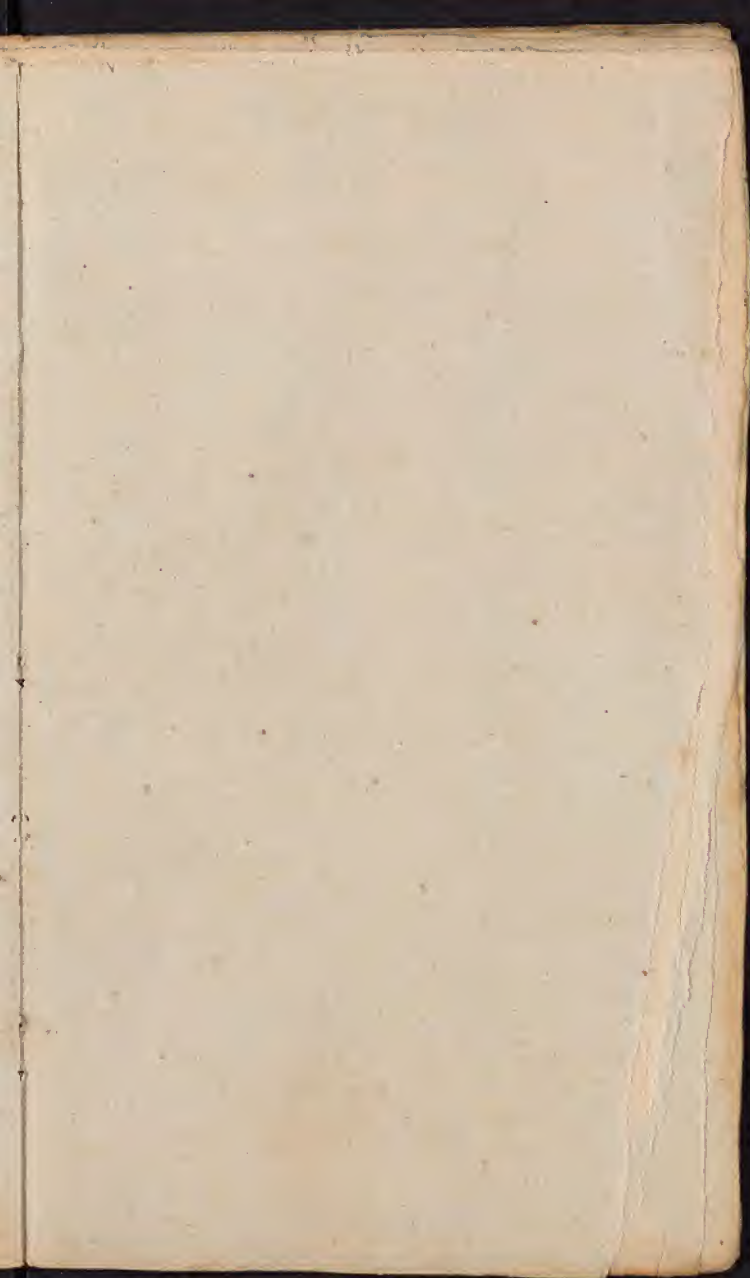
They do not however all  
occur in the same female,  
generally speaking, but

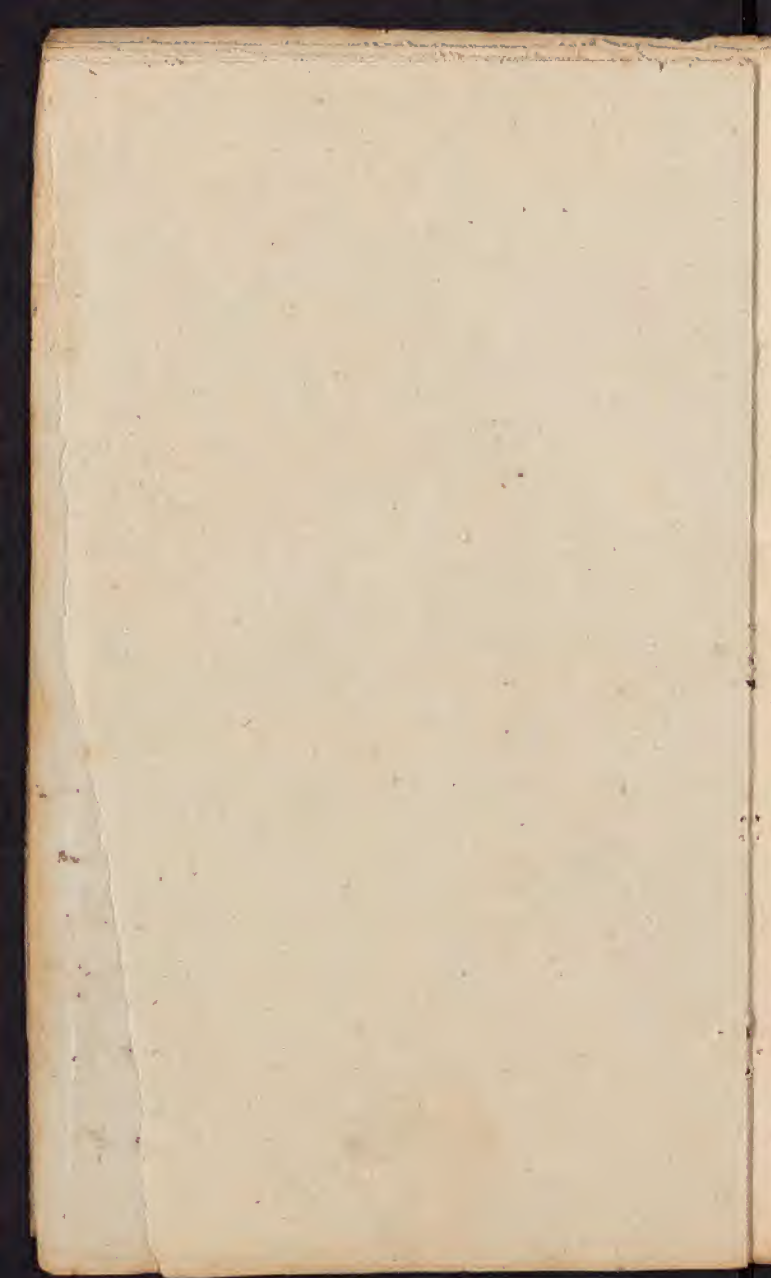


without a proportionate  
number of them, it will  
be sound and judicious  
to give an ~~and~~ decisive opinion  
etc.

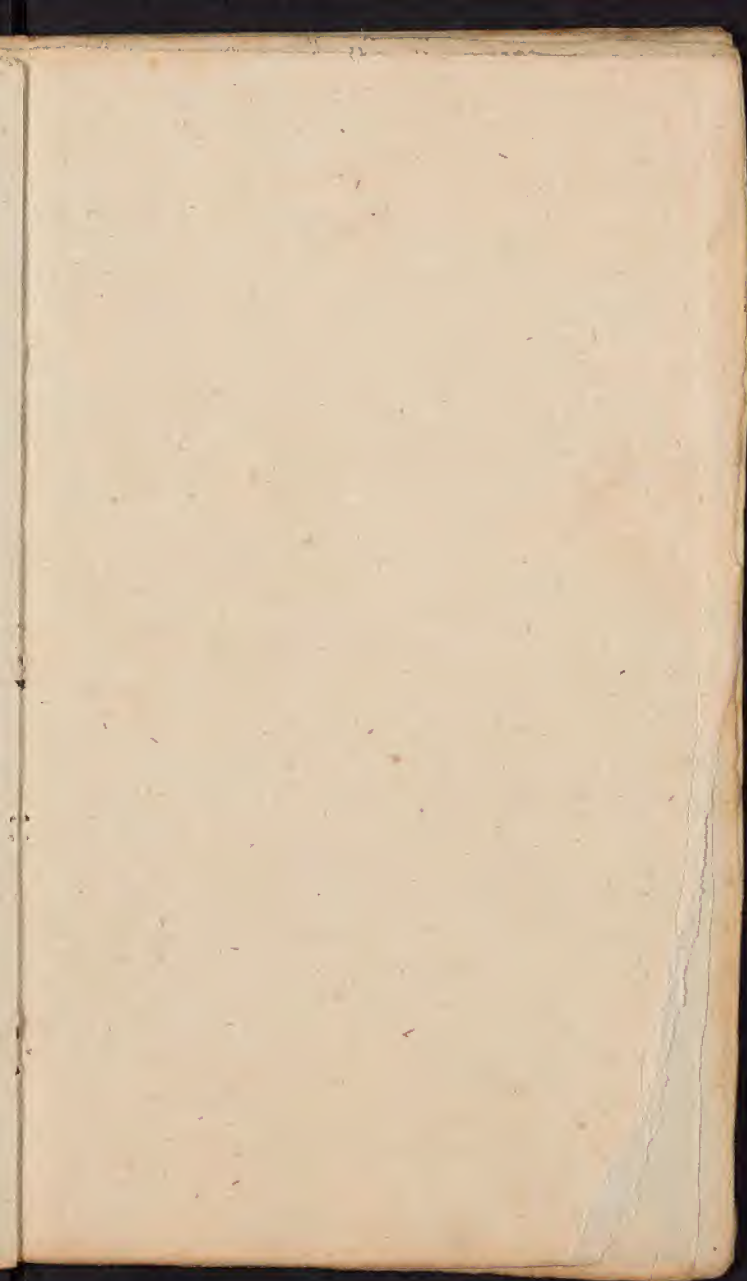
As the ~~often~~ decision  
of the physician in these  
cases always are of im-  
portance - either rais-  
ing him high in general  
estimate and command-  
ing confidence in him  
or condemning him as  
one unacquainted with  
his profession, and conse-  
quently he is neglected  
or else despised

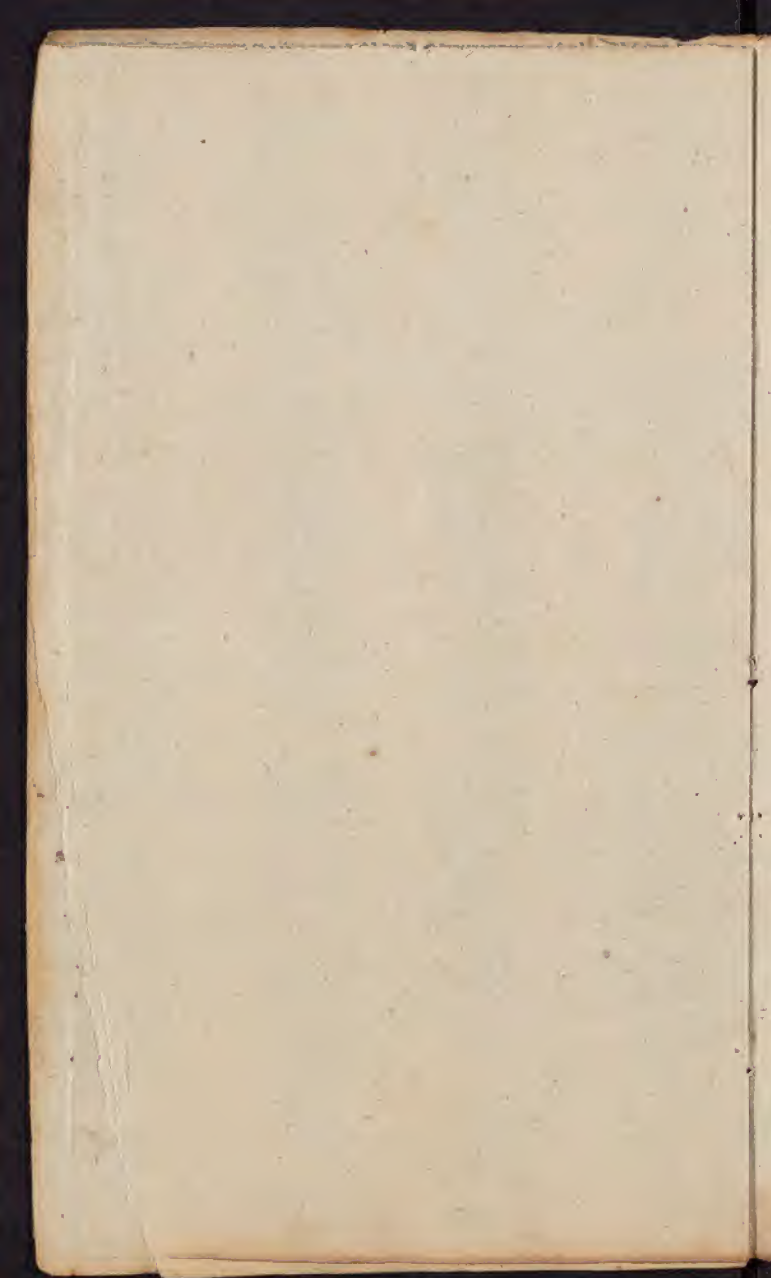
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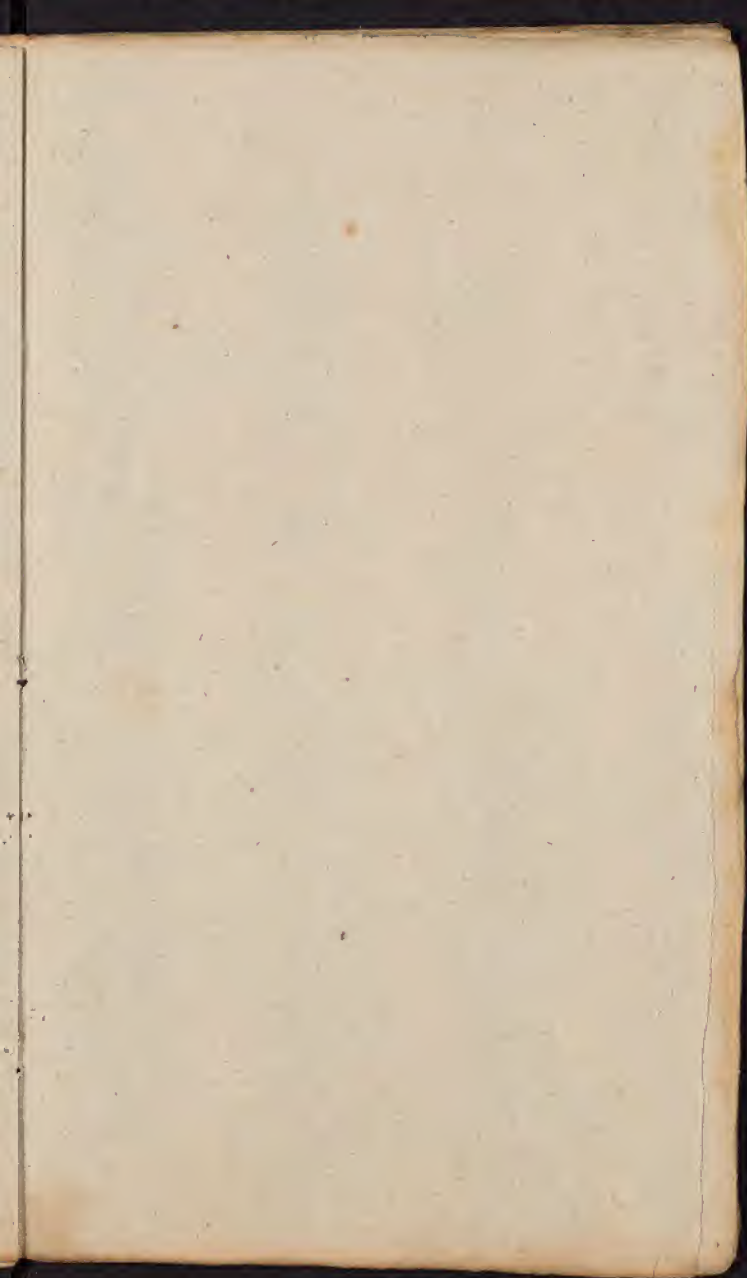




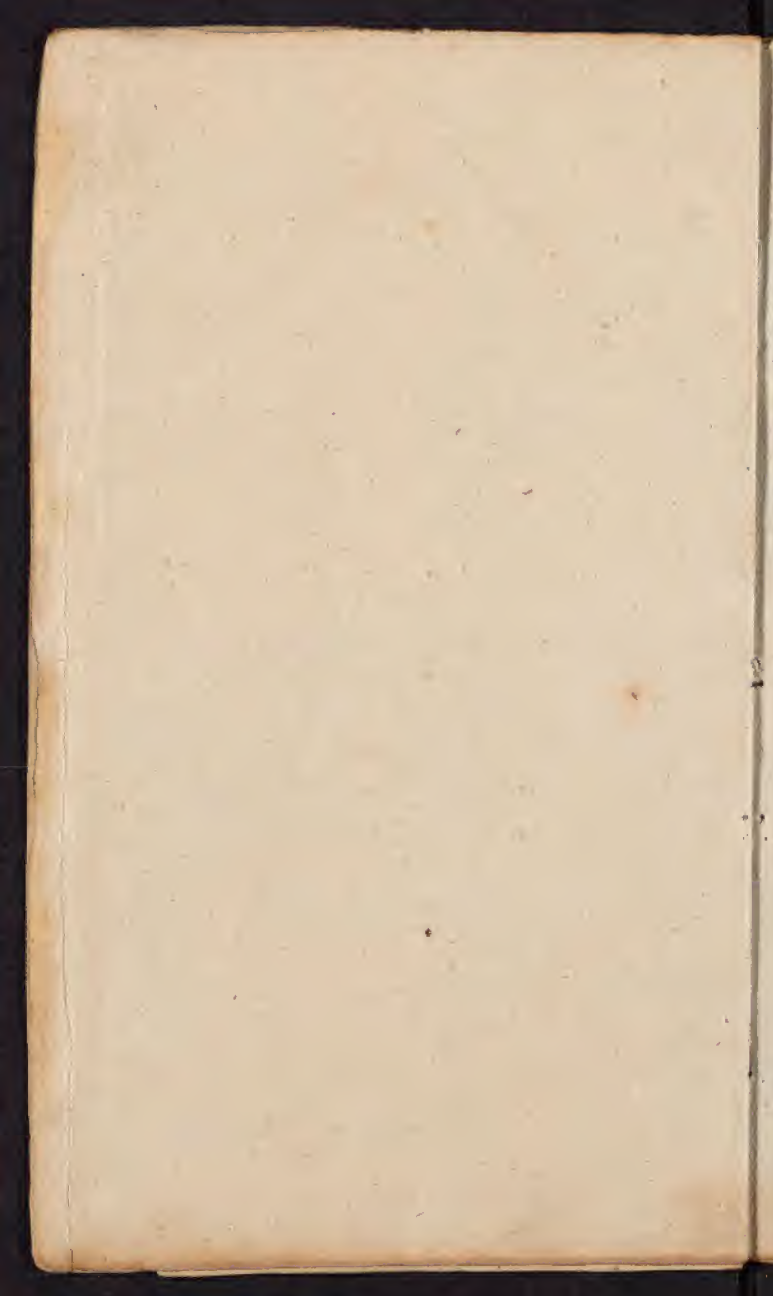


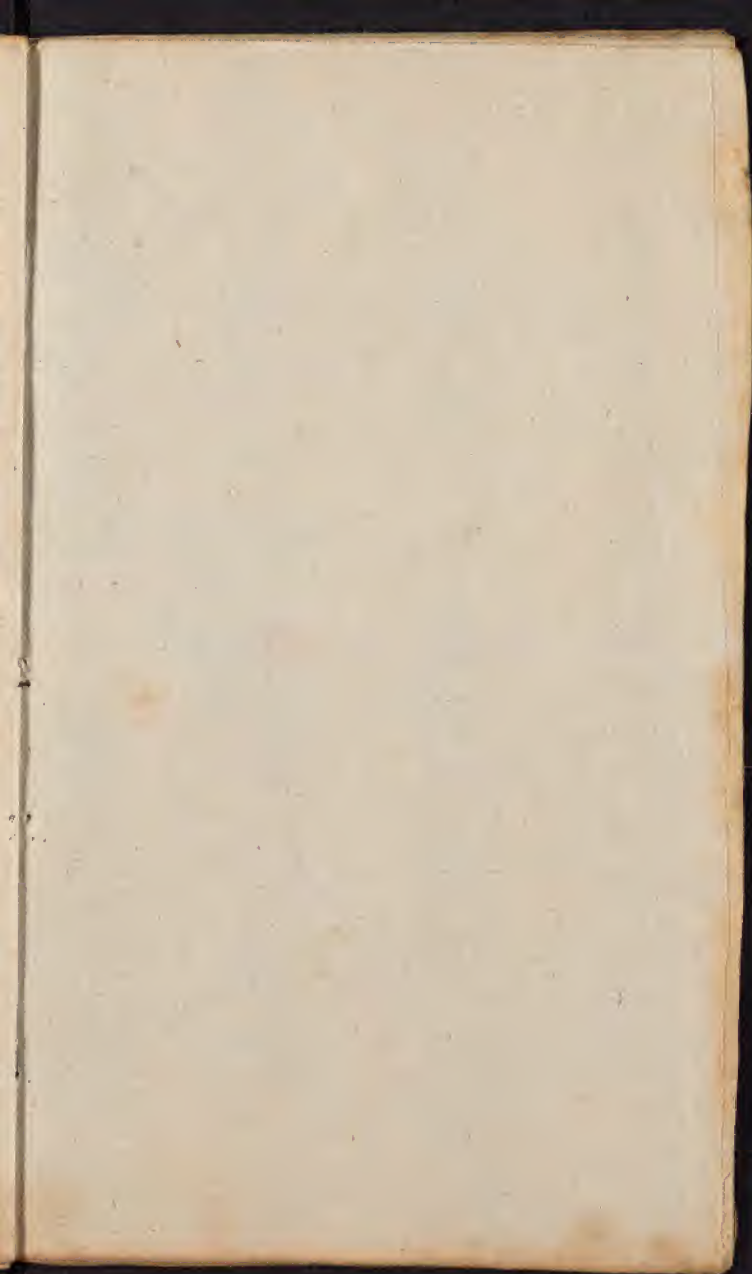


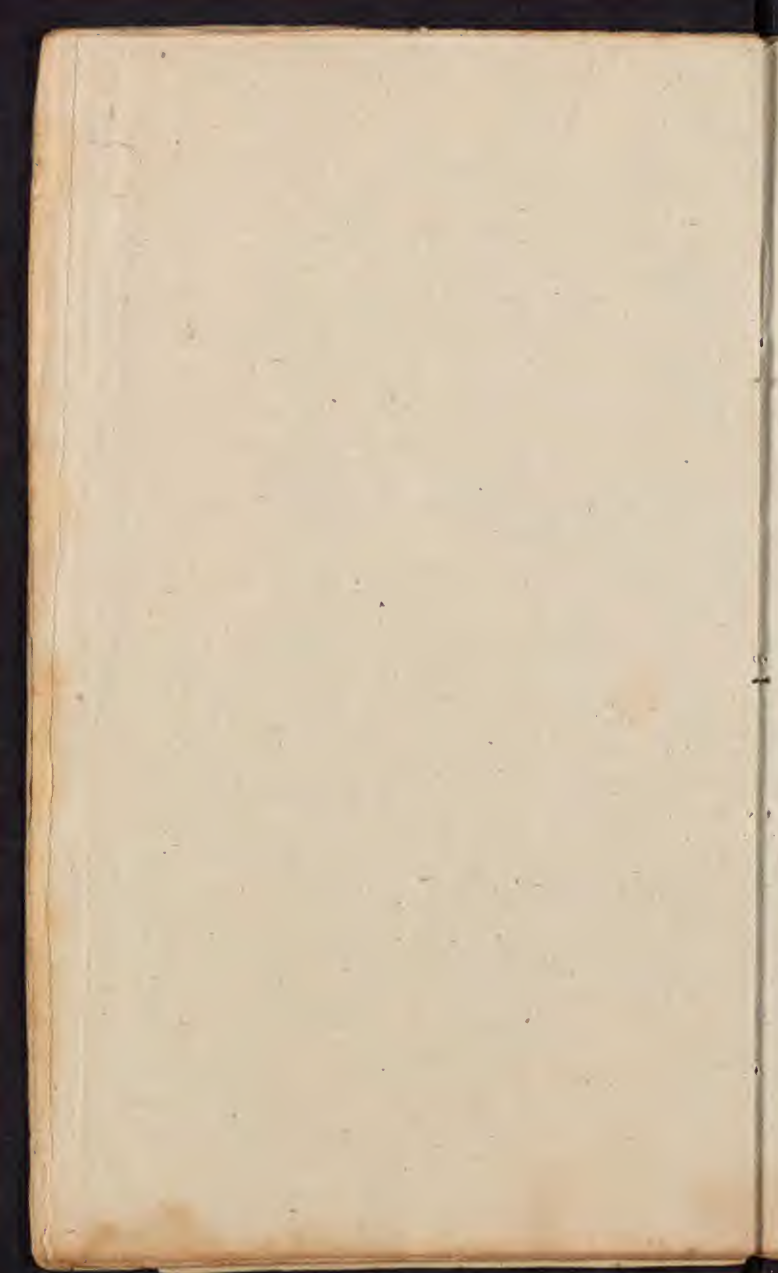




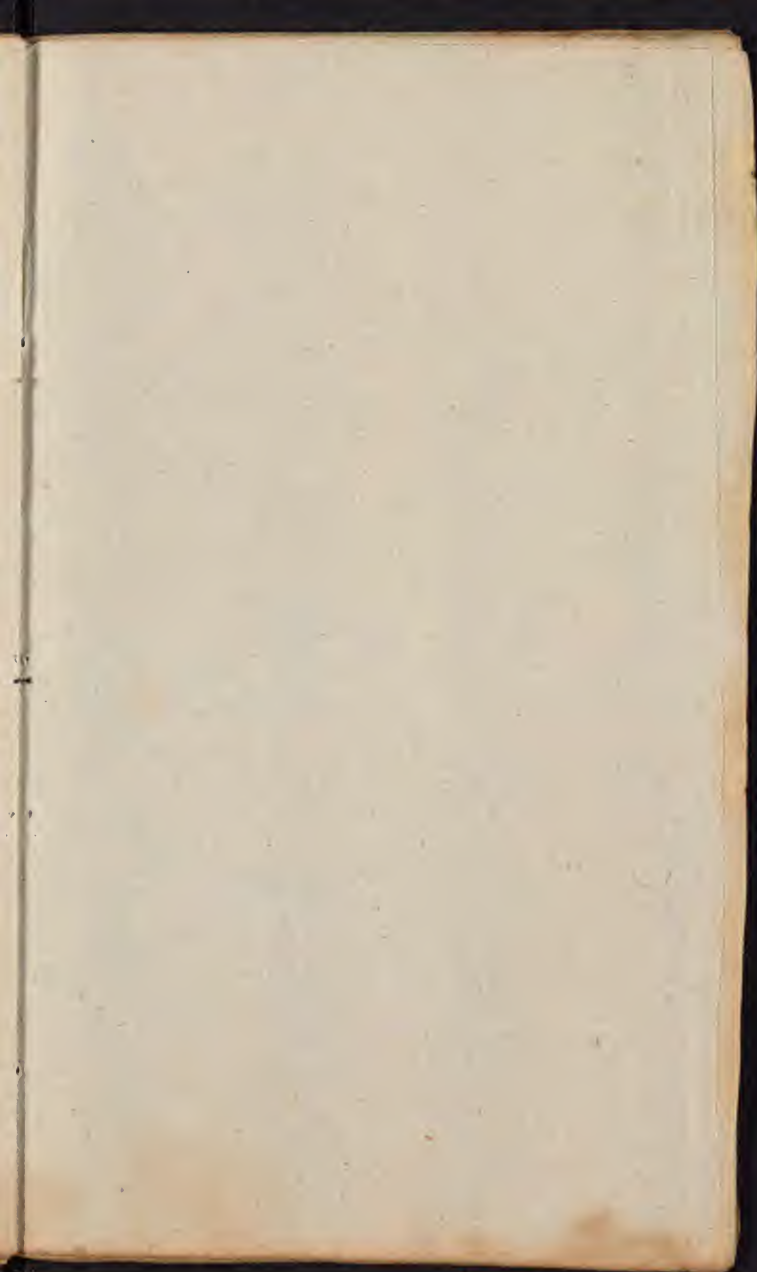


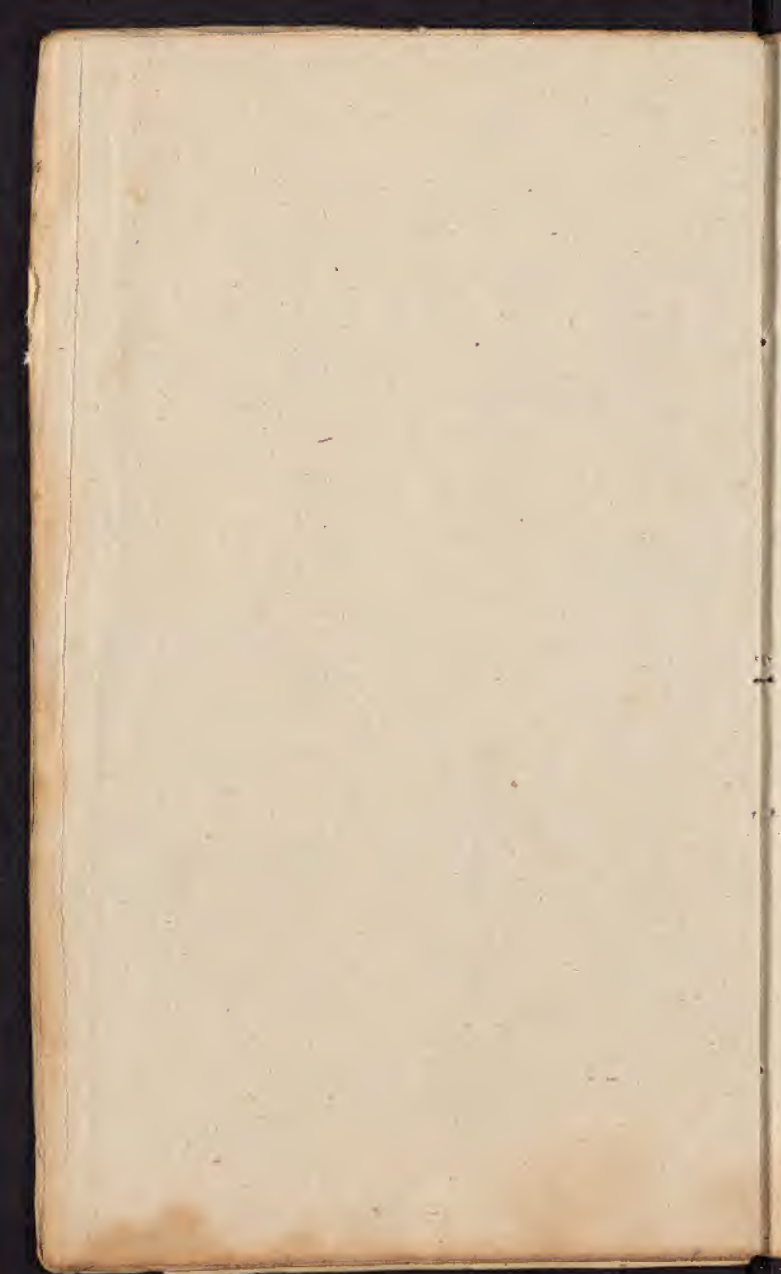


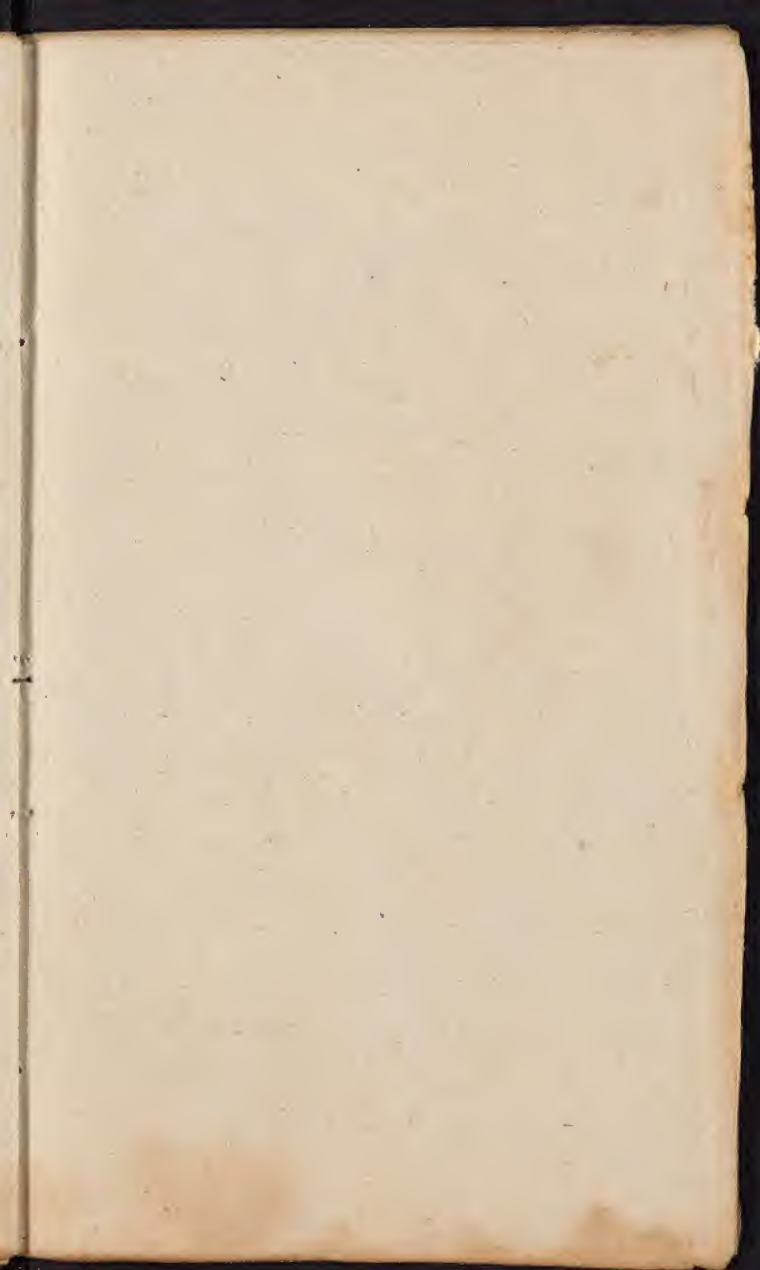


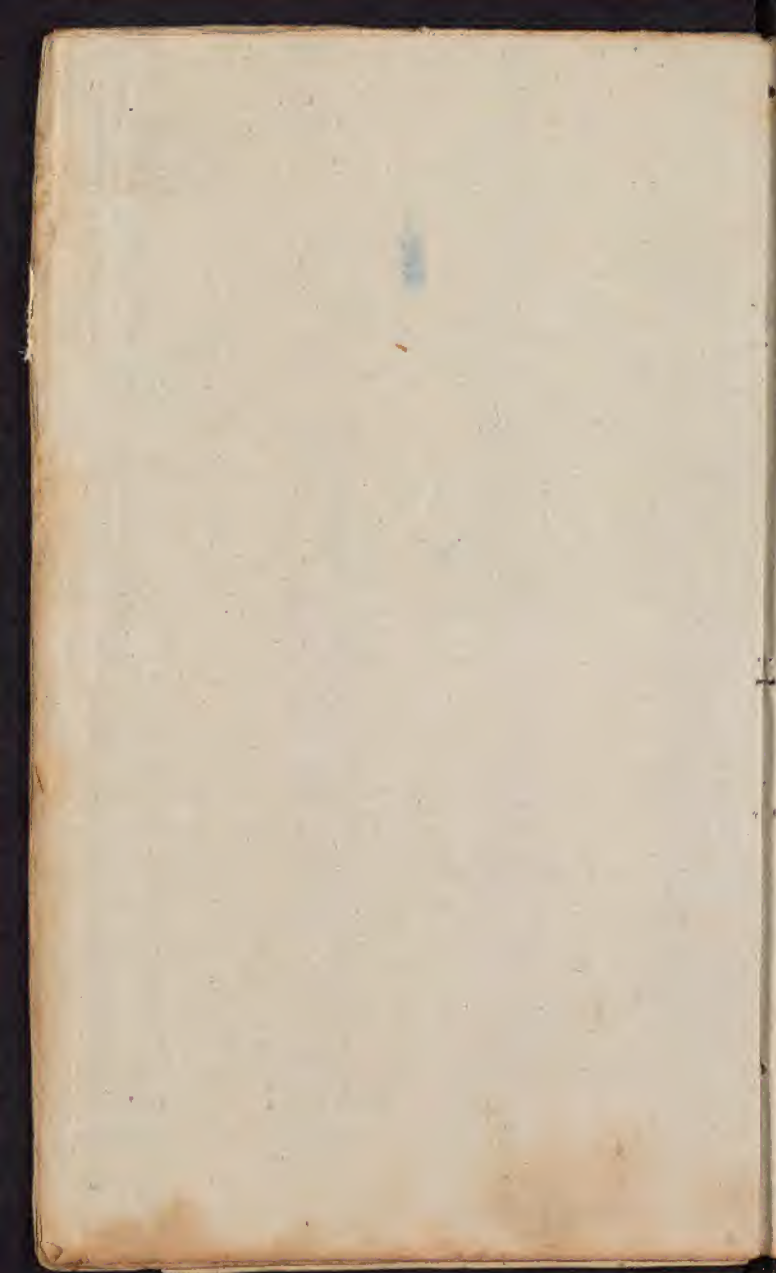




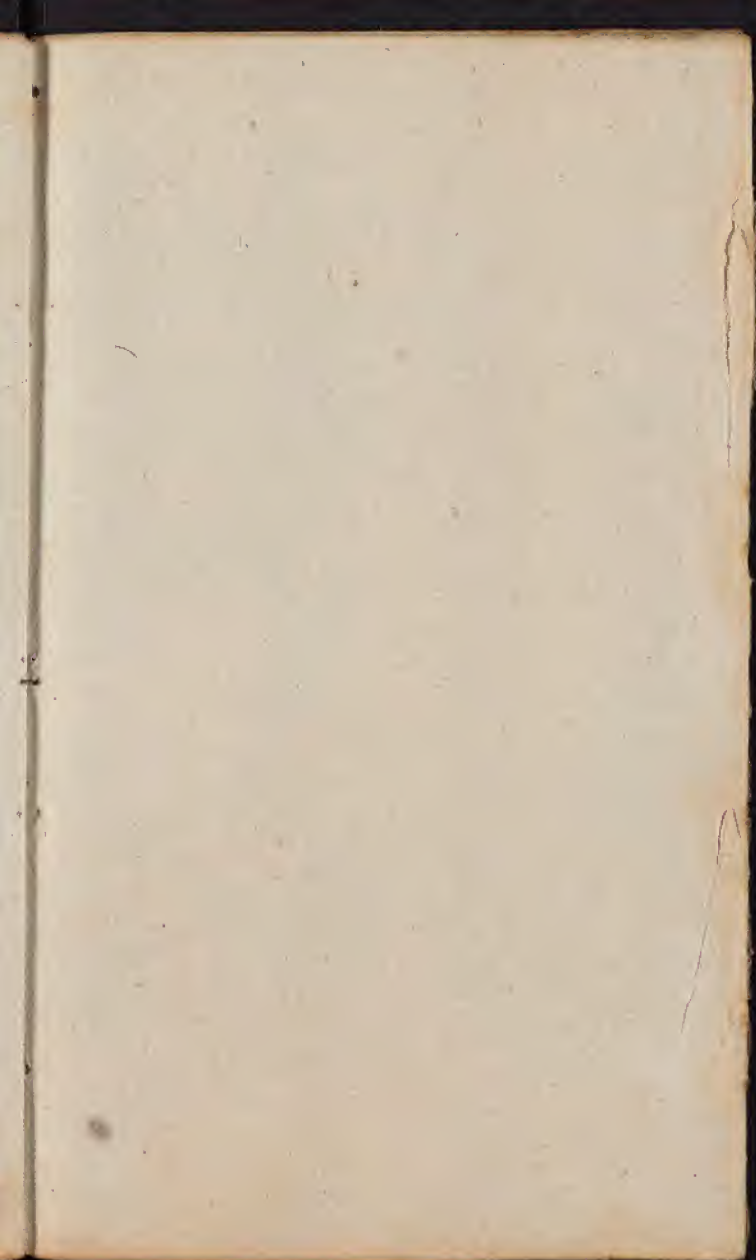


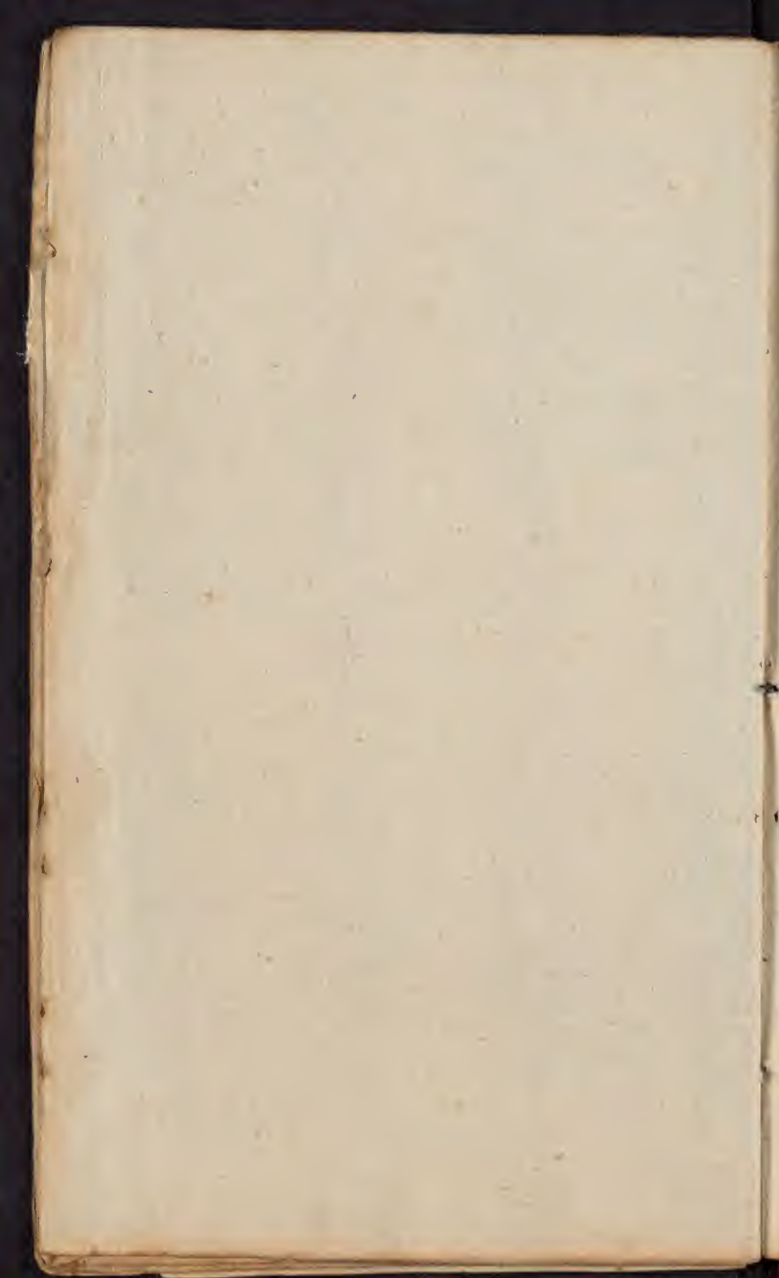


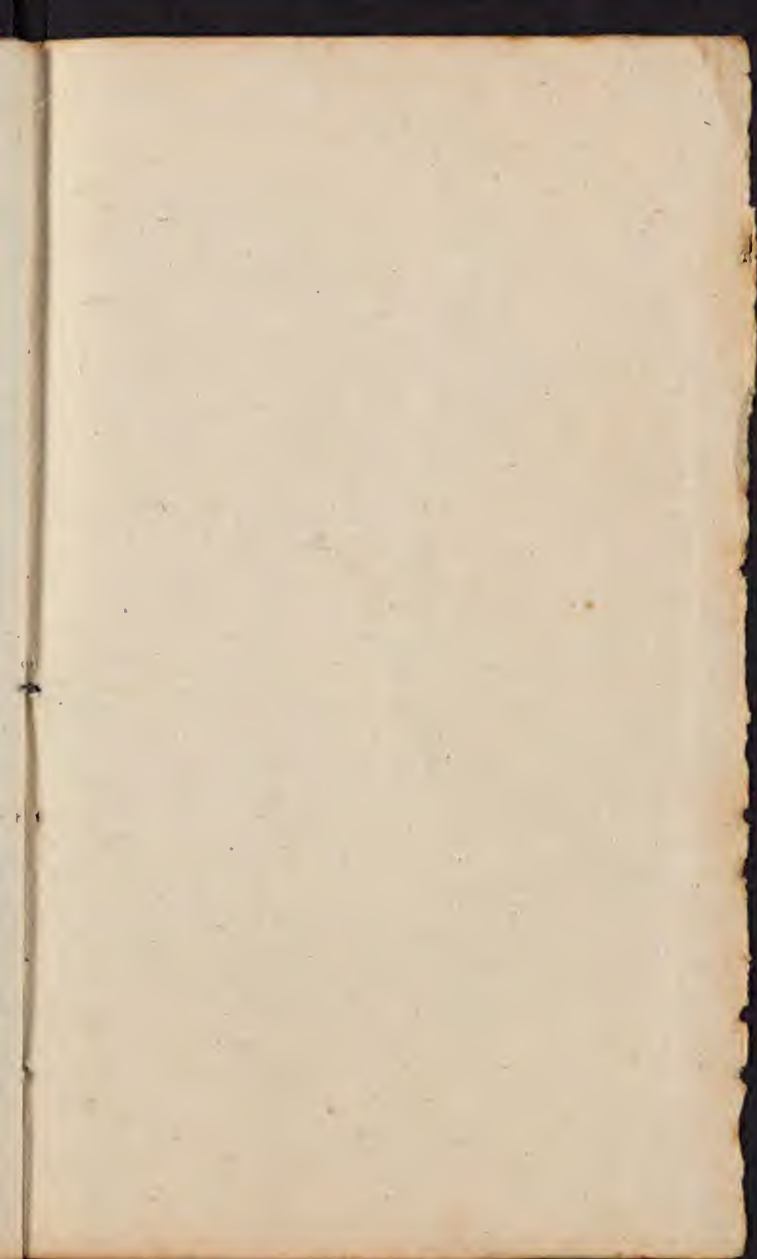












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